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GOVERNMENT OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

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, dated the 26-3-1907.

Copy Forwarded to the [illegible] Local Department, for information.

Submitted for information
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By Order,

[illegible]
For Secretary

List of Papers Forwarded.

Madras Government order No.83 Political, dated 26th February 1907 issuing instructions to the Madras local officers regarding the tour of the Viceroy in the Madras Presidency.

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Government of Madras.

P o l i t i c a l D e p a r t m e n t.

Read - the following paper:-

Letter - from the Hon'ble Mr. S.M.Fraser, C.I.E., Resident in Mysore.

To - the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Dated - Bangalore, the 8th February 1907.

No. - 714.

I have the honour to forward a copy of a letter No. 453, Political, dated the 5th December 1906, from the Dewan of Mysore, and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the local officers of the districts in the Madras Presidency through which the Guru of the Sringeri Mutt proposes to proceed on tour may be instructed to render him all necessary aid in his journey. It is probable that the Swami will enter the Coimbatore District in the 1st week of July 1907, and passing through the districts of Salem, North Arcot, Chingleput, Trichinopoly, Tanjore, Madura and Tinnevelly, reach the borders of the Travancore State in July 1908. A further communication will be made on the subject of the programme of the Swami's tour in the Madras Presidency as soon as definite particulars are received from the Mysore Durbar.

2. The Madras Government complied with a similar request in the year 1892 under Political Department proceedings No. 177, dated the 10th March 1892.

E n c l o s u r e.

Letter

Letter - from the Secretary to [illegible] of [illegible] general [illegible] the [illegible].

To - the First Assistant Resident at Bangalore.

Dated - the 5th December 1891.

No. - Pol. 453.

I am directed to state that Sri [illegible] bhinava Narashima Bharati Swami, the Guru of the Sringeri Mutt, [illegible] to proceed on a tour [illegible] through the districts of Coimbatore, Salem, North Arcot, Chingleput, [illegible], Tanjore, Madura, Tinnevelly and Malabar of the Madras Presidency and parts of the Travancore State, with the escort and followers noted in the accompanying list, and with reference to the usual practice on such occasions (vide references quoted in the margin), to request that you will be so good as to move the Government of Madras and Travancore Durbar to direct all the public authorities of the districts through which the Guru may pass, to render him all necessary aid in his journey.

Letter from the Dewan to Resident, No. 2, dated 25th October 1891.

Madras Government Order, No. [illegible], Political, dated 7th November 1891.

First Assistant Resident's letter, No. [illegible]/7215, dated 19th November, to the Dewan of Mysore.

2. I am to add that the Guru is the Principal Priest in the Mysore State and is held in high respect by all classes of Hindus.

List showing the number of followers, escort, etc., accompanying the Guru of the Sringeri Mutt on his tour to Kalati in the Travancore State.

3 elephants.

20 horses and ponies.

3 palanquines.

25 swords [illegible] to Government.

25 muskets.

35 carts.

20 spears.

8 umbrellas.

2 chamaras.

4 chowries

200 Brahmins.

200 Non-Brahmins.

20 Silledars of the Mysore Horse.

8 Sepoys of the Mysore Infantry.

Order No. 83, Political, dated 25th February 1907.

Communicated to the Collectors concerned with the request that they will issue instructions to the local officers to prevent the Guru and his followers from being subjected to interruption.

2. Care should be taken that the Guru's passage through the districts does not lead to any exaction of supplies for the use of his followers.

(True Extract)

(Sd) H. Bradley,

Ag. Chief Secretary.

To The Collector of Coimbatore.
" " of Salem
" " of North Arcot.
" " of Chingleput
" " of Trichinopoly
" " of Tanjore
" " of Madura
" " of Tinnevelly
" " Resident in Travancore and Cochin
" The Inspector General of Police.

Copy to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore with C.L.
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Judicial Department.

C o p y

for Secretary to Government.

C.S.